PRES. WILSON OPENSPANAMA **EXPOSITION BY TO**UCHBUTTON

The Flash of an Electric Spark Sent News From the White House.

Secretary McAdoo Was the President's Personal Representative.

Many Addresses Were Delivered at the Grounds Today.

By Associated Press. SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 1.—Three thousand miles away, President Wilson arose today in the small hours at Washington and touched an electric button that opened to the world at midnight here the Panama-California Exposition. It will remain open until January 1, 1916.

William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, represented President Wilson at the opening celebration.

As the personal representative of King Alfonso of Spain there was present Count del Velle de Salazar, and with him were the legates of other

Fireworks and illuminations signal led the opening of the gates early yesterday evening and for three hours there was opportunity to explore the new city of Old Spain , which has risen on the mesa above the Harbor

dent G. Aubrey Davidson, to whom ere delivered the plans, the keys, and finally the exposition itself.

At midnight the exercises ended and the flash of a n electric spark in

Dedicatory ceremonies were held on pocket. the exposition grounds this morning. In behalf of President Wilson, Secon behalf of King Alfonso of Spain; by the representatives of other foreign powers, and by the Governors of California and other Western States.

Clarksburg Auto.

CLARKSBURG, Jan. 1.—An important business change became effective bere today when M. Grayson and A. T. Cunningham, business men, took over the plant and business of the Monticello Automobile and Garage Co.



tht and Saturday. Warmer tonight West Virginia-Partly cloudy

SOME RACES

Friday Night, January 1 Winner Will Challenge State "BE THERE!





Officers Take Last Kilarm Murder Man

TODAY AT CASCADE PRESTON COUNTY.

WAS SEEN NEAR MURDER SCENE ON SAME NIGHT WITH

Sheriff Thomas V. Buckley and Con- in the city when the seventy-five boys stable W. R. Riggs succeeded in all turned loose with their noisemakrounding him up this afternoon at tang devices. If a dozen threshing machines, a hundred motorcycles and a county town was made in an automo- half dozen dynamos and all the other

world began. Lyman J. Gage of San up to the porch of the house where amount of noise that was manufact-Diego, former Secretary of the Treas- the culprit was staying and surprised ured on this occasion. try, introduced Colonel D. C. Collier, him. No weapons were found on him. After the mayor had finished his former president of the exposition. The officers will make a soutch at the remarks, Mr. W. J. Wiegel, business Colonel Collier made way for Presi- place where he slept last night looking for weapons.

boarded the last car out of Fairmont ex-newsboy and Dr. Bromfield gave at Shinnston and rode to Haywood the boys a most inspiring talk. He where he got off. He carried a bag stated that he was talking to the comthe White House carried over the the car. When he stooped over to business men of Fairmont, He recited of oranges. He spilled the oranges in ing preachers, lawyers, doctors, and the postoffice department during the pick up the fruit Conductor Powelli his experience as a newsboy and the noticed the big stiletto in his hip belp that this work had been to him

etary McAdoo was on the program the night of the tragedy. This was remember him for a talk he gave at to deliver an address. Other speech, an unusual thing for it is seldom that the Miller school building some time were delivered by John Barrett, a passenger gets off a northbound car ago in which he used a graphaphone at Everson. The Everson people and they very affectionately referred Union, in behalf of the nations of the travel toward Fairmont and those who to the esteemed Dr. as "graphaphone" two Americas; by Count de Salazer, get off the cars at that point are Broomfield which he took in very exfrom south bound cars.

Jardino had time after the crime had been committed to make the car was never a more enthusiastic meetat Shinnston and the street car men ing held in Fairmont than the news are sure that it was he that they carried to Haywood.

Garage is Sold and Constable W. R. Riggs went to Cascade, W. Va., today in search of Nick Jardino, one of the alleged black hand-

Monticello Automobile and Garage Co.

Coroner Frank Lloyd was ready to They will conduct the concern under the name of Cunningham Bros. The plant consists of a large garage and machine shop.

Take. Coroner Frank Lloyd was ready to start in on the inquest this morning, when Cbarles Greer, formerly of this plant consists of a large garage and machine shop.

Tusca Morris that Jardino was at Castroney and after the first fe weourses were approached by the coroner of the large garage and after the first fe weourses were approached. cade. It was from that vicinity that Jardino came to this part of the coun-

Ask Vacation for Teaching Mothers

NEW YORK. Jan. 1.-Although the committee investigating the problem as treated in 4888 large cities found that in only five is leave of absence given women teachers about to become to the Board of Education that women not only well fed, but they were given teachers here be given leave of absence to cover the period of beoming a mother and rearing babe to an age when its

care may be transferred. In 37 of the 48 cities investigated, automatically retires teachers from duty.

COMING SOON! "THE MISTAKE" For Ladies Only! O. D.

Seventy-five **Newsboys Eat** Turkey Dinner AREOPLANES

Guests of West Virginian Do Justice to a Delicious Repast.

Swimmnig Pool of the Y. M C. A. Open for Their Benefit This Afternoon.

Seventy-five newsboys were the guests of the West Virginian at a turkey dinner served by the King's Daughters of the People's Temple. The boys were provided with free tickets which were distributed for the paper by the Fairmont News Company and the Marien News Agent and the Marlon News Agency.

At 1:30 o'clock the juvenile news venders gathered at the West Vir-ginia building in Monroe street and from there went to the Y. M. C. A building, where they were regaled in a splendid manner.

It was a happy new year for the boys and they enjoyed the repast only

as boys can. They had the time of their lives and it was a pleasure to see them around the table.

Mayor Bowen made a short address n which he said many helpful things

to the aspiring youths.

The mayor made a hit with the oung future mayors, councilmen and policemen of the city. He told the young business men that he and they had the bonor of being the only invited guests of the occasion and spoke very highly of the thoughtfulness of NICK JARDINO WAS CAPTURED the West Virginian in remembering the boys in such a substantial man-Mrs.Allie Haymond had distributed whirllygigs and rattle boxes to the boys and at the close of the mayor s very happy speech he proposed three cheers for the West Virginian and Nick Jardino is captured. Deputy never was such a din of noise heard At 11:36 p. m. the formal ceremony that could be cuting Attorney Tusca Morris that imagined had been turned into the formal ceremony are the formal ceremony and all the other cuting Attorney Tusca Morris that imagined had been turned into the year. Lyman J. G. The officers ran their suiters of the could not originate the could be imagined had been turned into the imagined had b Jardino's arrest had been made.

The officers ran their automobile have competed with the boys in the

manager of the WestVirginian who was toastmaster of the occasion in-On the nigh of the murder Jardino troduced Rev. J. C. Broomfield as an under very adverse circumstances. Three men got off the eight o'clock The boys seemed rather chummy with car coming to Fairmont at Everson Dr. Bromfield. It seems that they cellent part.

It can be truthfully stated that there boys' dinner. The enthusiasm was spontaneous and uproarious. After the speaking was concluded the toastmaster told the boys they would be permitted to take a plunge into the swimming pool of the Y. M. C. A. and

served the boys commenced to let their belts out and kept the ladies on the trot to the kitchen to keep the good work going on The dinner was finished with a fine selection of ice cream and cake and the satisfaction of the occasion could be read in the countenances of the little business generals whose expressions were as open as a book

The event was so successful that it will in all probability become an annual event with the West Virgin ian. The boys were certainly started on the New Year right. They were

all the news boys in the city and the dinner was not limited to those who

Fairmont News Company Newsles. Joe Old, Dand Old, Sam Berdelle, Joe Ross, Dan Ross, Litle Joe Ross, Louis Ross, Homer Thorn, Roy Thorn, P. Meade (col.), Hugh Michie, Arthur other amusements afforded at the Y. R. Myers, C. Myers, P. Mills, M. C. A.

DROPBOMBS Black Hand.

Second Time in Last Three Days That City Has Been Shelled.

Turkish Capital Fears a Bombardment by English Ships.

600,000 Men have Been Captured by Germans Since War Began.

PARIS, Jan. 1 .- Dunkirk, on the northern coast, was again bombarded by four German aeropianes Thursday, acording to reports which reached Paris during the night.

ATHENS, Greece, via London, Jan. 1. —According to Constantinople advices, which have reached here, Austrian and German ambassadors in the Turkish capital are transferring their archives to Asia Minor, fearing that an action is immient by British and French fleets aganist the Dardenelles and the capital Foreigners are also preparing to quit the capital for the interior, it is stated. BERLIN, via Loudon, Jan. 1.—The total number of prisoners of war in Germany at the end of the year amounts to 8.1388 officers and 577,875 men. This shown I na summary issued from headquarters today, which plints out that the list does not include the out that the list does not include the civilians interned in Germany nor the prisoners taken in Russian Poland or

Postoffice

MANY ASSISTANT POSTMASTERS.

Excitement

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The annual postoffice appropriation bill, carrying \$321,000,000 for the conduct of next fiscal year, was passed by the

House during yesterday.

For the first time in many years four apropriation bills have been dis-posed of in the House before the beginning of the new year in a short session. Immediately upon the pass age of the postoffice measure work was begun upon the Indian appropriation bill.

Under a special rule a large number of legislative propositions were incor-porated in the postoffice bill on the recommendation of the postmaster general. One of these would eliminate the places of assistant postmasters of many postoffices throughout the country; another would inaugurate a revised system of railway mail pay, including payment for increased mail weight due to the parcel post.

Efforts to institute an experimen contract service to replace salaried rural free delivery carriers were de

Ohio "Dry" Detective

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 1.—The last ew Year pardon that Governor Cox will have an opportunity to bestow before going out of office was given today to Walter Diehl, serving a life sentence from Licking county for participation in the lynching of Carl Ethrington, a "dry" detective of Spring-field, Ky. The lynching took place in Newark, in July, 1911.

Ethrington was lynched after he had shot a saloonkeeper whose place had been raided by representatives of the anti-saloon league.

Knight, L. Fay, Winstead, Ice.

Marion News Agency.

James Dabato, Rufus Lytton, Millie
Tork, Macky, John Ross, Albert Jamion the room interest of the mayor and Dr. Tork, Macky, John Ross, Albert Jami-Broomfield, which they will long remember and no doubt it will be a ner, Harry Scott, Herbert Salter, Loraine Haddick, Ralph Haddick, Arthur Sawana Arthur Jobes, "Cooney" Jobes, The boys who were present as the guests of the West Virginian included Willie, Sam Tedesco, Edward Fay, Har old, Willie Notes, Scotty (col.), P. Brown, C. Brown, Glen Holfrick, Walhandled the West Virginian only, ter Layman, Jenkins, V. Brown, Martin Hurley, Frank Trio, Buddy Chamber lain, Tucker, Fred Allen.

To Kill A Spy Was Motive For Kilarm Murder

Mafia Killed Man Because of His Activity Against

Mrs. Pauletta Grilled But Nothing of Importance Gained.

leveloped in the inquest into the Kilarm murder yesterday. The state ments of the witnesses are still con tradictory in many of the details of the murder. This is especially so where there is a material point to be brought out.

Most of the memories of the oc rences at Kilarm on the night of the homicide so far as the witnesses are concerned lies in the subconscious field and they are hard to drag to the surface.

Yet with all of the difficulties en-countered in adducing evidence in the rase the web of guilt is closing in on the men who are in custody who are thought to be connected with the crime. As the inquisition progresse there are circumstances unfolded and others are eliminated so that out of the chaotic mass of statements some thing of a definite character is being evolved.

Yesterday Mrs. Pauletta was given a severe grilling. She seems to know nothing that is of any value to the

officers concerning the crime. Leonardo Fraceno, one of the vicbeen a spy, who was driven from the activity against the Mafia organizaing here had been heralded to Jim Ra-Bill Passed to Kilarm to round up and destroy the men who had incurred his displeasure.

Over Note, Dies

LY TO BE FORMULATED WITHOUT DELAY IS THE ANNOUNCEMENT.

BY ASSOCIATED TRESS.T LONDON, Jan. 1.—The excitement produced by President Wilson's note concerning detention of American ves-

sels by British warships has cooled with the publication of the text of the communication The attorney genieral, Sir J. A. Simon, discussed the points of international law involved with Foreign Secretary Groy and the reply will be formulated without reply will be formulated without de lay. The subject may be raised in the House of Lords when that body re-assembles on next Wednesday.

No Lawyer to be in This Chicago Court

CHICAGO, Jan. 1 .- A court of convenience, a court without lawyers, where people may plead their own cas-es, will be established here late in Lyncher is Pardoned January as a branch of the municipal court, Chief Justice Olson announced today. The aim will be to simplify justice and reduce the cost of going to law. The court will at first consider the cases in which amounts less than \$50 are involved. Later its scope will be broadened when the branches are established.

Kaiser to President: "A Happy New Year"

BERLIN, Jan. 1.—(By Wireless Tel egraph to London.)—Emperor Wil- 10 Die, Many Hurt in liam ha s sent from the army head quarters a message to President Wil on conveying his wishes for a happy New Year.

The emperor also expresses his best wishes for the welfare of the United

No New Year Flash By Navy Department

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—New Year's greetings from the United States to all the world did not circle the globe

Fire Build last night, as has been the custom for many years

The land telegraph and cable sys-

WOUNDED SERVIANS



Photo by American Press Association

Official War News

VIENNA, Austria by way of Am terdam and London, Jan. 1 .- An offiwar was given out in the Austrian tims of the murder, is said to have capitol today. It refers to events of yesterday and is as follows:
"In Bukowina, and the Carpathian

mountains the Russians developed great activity. Our troops are holdthe upper Secremosz territory, also munication peculiar to of the blackhand society. This evidence suggests the motive for the slaying of Frescino. Jim Rachello was the victim of his own rapacity for human blood and was killed by his own gunmen whom he had taken this own gunmen whom he had taken trict of Gorlve, north east of the Zalary determined Russian attacks willieve. thing is quiet. Further to the north the attacks of our allies are progressing. In the Balkan war everything is quiet. To the east of Trobinga our artillery compelled the Montenegrins to retreat"

> PARIS-The French official stateent given out today shows that the artillery exchanges on the battle front in France have not diminished in severity or frequency. Various places are mentioned where artillery fighting has taken place. At some points no resistance was given, at (Continued on Page 3.)

Gotham Celebration Biggest in History

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Daylight to day failed to quell the noisy and enthusiastic greetings which New York London as to the difficulties confronting to the New Year. The revelry along Broadway continued far into the morning hours and the police, although they had little to do, declared the celebration the biggest of its kind in the history of the city. The record in the history of the city. The record in warfare against a multiplicity of counting the control of the city. the celebration the biggest of its kind in the history of the city. The record crowd which taxed the all night restaurants held places after sunup and at 6 o'clock this morning many of the larger restaurants were still turning would-be patrons away from the doors.

P. Creighton, C. Creighton, Wilson, Hite, Haggerty, Fleming, Fixhugh, L. Colley, F. Patterson, Reed Hawkins, Ed Moots, P. Miller, R. Miller, R. Miller, R. Miller, Hawkins (col.), Glenn, B. Vincent, Joe Vincent, Servis.

The land telegraph and cable systems are in a disorganized condition because of the European war. The neighbor to be played between the local Y. M. Ed Moots, P. Miller, R. Miller, Hawkins (C. A. team and the Grafton association of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill, but it is ported that Austria is preparing a condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill that the condition because of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill that the condition of the proparing of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill that the condition of the European war. The neighbor to a standstill that the neighbor to a standstill that the condition of the Eu

MINE, SINKS A **BIG ENGLISH**

Dreadnought "Formidable" Goes Down in the English Channel.

75 of the Crew Were Rescued But Remainder Probably Perished.

War Bureau is Not Certain as to the Cause of the Accident.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—The British battleship "Formidable," was sunk this morning in the British Channel by either a mine or submarine according to an announce-ment given out by the official information bureau. The informa-tion bureau bulletin is as follows: "The battleship "Formidable"

was sunk this morning in the channel but whether by a mine or submarine, is not yet certain. Seventy-one survivors have been picked up by British light cruis-ers and it is possible that others may have been rescued by other vessels.

The British battleship Formid able had a displacement of 000 tons. She was 430 feet long and carried a complement of 750 men. She was heavily armored and carried four 12-inch guns, 12 six-Inch guns and 15 twelve pour ders. She was also provided with four submerged torpedo tubes.

By Associated Press

LONDON, Jan. 1.—The close of the fifth month of the war finds Germany stift in occupation of virtually the whole of Belgium, an important trace of French territory in the western the ater of war and a considerable slice of Russian Poland along the eastern battle front a thousand miles away. It would appear, nevertheless, that Germany, for the present at least, is unable to make further headway.

British commentators today call at tention to the fact that the initiative for the moment seems to be in the hands of the allied commanders and the recent German public utterances to the effect that Germany is waging a detensive war to save her territory from invalon is accepted here are from invasion, is accepted here as an indrect admission that to battle on two fronts a thousand miles apart has caused an unanticipated strain on even the great resources of the em-

enemies.

"Vive Italy" is Cried

At New Year Entry

By Associated Press.

ROME, Jan. 1.—An unique way of Year took place here today. Usually the event has been celebrated by explosions of fire works and the firing of guns, but as this was prohibited this year, the people generally agreed to appear at open windows, glass in hand and cry "Vive Ifaly." This was done and the effect was impressive.

10 Die, Many Hurt in London Trooin Whools

Large armies now training in Eng.

London Train Wreck

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Jan. i. — Ten persons were killed and many injured in a train collision this morning on the great eastern railway near liford. Sys

train collision this morning on the great eastern railway near liford, fly miles from London. Some of the railroad cars were splintered to pieces. The victims of the accident are mostly city clerks.

Rob Postoffice;

Fire Building

PADUCAH, Ky., Jan. 1.—Robbers hroke into the Postoffice at Heights, Marshall county, and after setting fire dual monarchy. At present Sory's